

Philadelphia,

Idlewood—Skating—Hlak.

Mr. Charley Grapewin and his company will hold the boards at the Idlewood rink this week, starting to-night with "The Awakening of Mr. Pipp." Grapewin will sing his old song, "The Old Oaken Bucket," and his new one, "It's the Last Season. There will be no more matinees."

When the curtain rises at the Academy to-morrow evening, the audience will get a view of Homeville, N. Y., one side of the road in a stark build; and opposite is a pretty cottage, with verandas covered with old-fashioned flowers. The house is a place where, in the olden times, sweet williams, posies and other flowers. A little in the background is a big barn at the corner with a sign, "The one operated by Day Harum, the house belongs to Alvin Polly Babcock and the barn to Day Harum." The play is "The Play of Day Harum," a dramatization of a popular book. The work is in three acts, all in the vernacular of Homeville, N. Y. The production be made will be the same as that which was made in New York, Chicago and Philadelphia.